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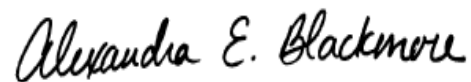
Re: DM 05-172; Staff's Topic 5 Round 6 Data Requests; Objection to Staff 6-6

Dear Attorney Fabrizio:

Granite State Electric Company d/b/a National Grid ("National Grid") hereby submits its objection to Staff 6-6. National Grid submits that the information request seeks information that is beyond the scope of the Commission's jurisdiction, and therefore irrelevant to the outcome of this proceeding. Specifically, the rates, terms and conditions for pole attachments in New Hampshire are currently under the jurisdiction of the Federal Communications Commission pursuant to 47 U.S.C.A. § 224 and 47 C.F.R. § 1.1401 et. seq.

Thank you for your time and attention to this matter.

Very truly yours,



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